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Day Dunning, Cashier. J. S. Everett, Ass't Cash.

The Citizens Bank.

Collections Promptly Remitted.

Mount Ayr, Iowa, JAN 26 1888 188

Superintendent U.S. Mint
Philadelphia
Pa

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Counterfeit if we had not gotten them directly from you.

Yours Resp'

J. S. Everett
Asst. Cashier

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